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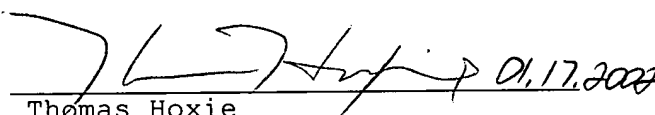
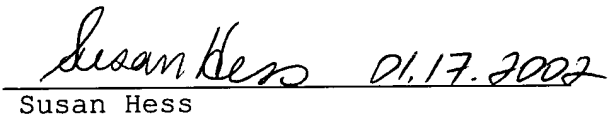
We, NOVARTIS INTERNATIONAL PHARMACEUTICAL Ltd., a corporation of Bermuda, whose principal place of business is Sofia House, 48 Church Street, Hamilton HM 12, Bermuda, the assignee of Application No. 09/265,926, by virtue of an assignment dated March 14, 2001, and recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office on April 5, 2001, on Reel 011459, Frame 0221, hereby revoke all previous powers of attorney granted for this application and appoint all of the registered practitioners associated with Customer No. 001095 as attorneys and agents for this application.

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We are empowered to sign this submission on behalf of the assignee, NOVARTIS INTERNATIONAL PHARMACEUTICAL Ltd.

Respectfully submitted,

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